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DEQ offers free workshops on open burning

BATON ROUGE – The Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality is sponsoring a free workshop to assist fire departments, municipalities and the general public with understanding the air quality regulations concerning open burning. The workshop will provide a basic understanding of the regulations, as well as information on opening burning do's and don'ts. All workshops will be from 10 a.m. to noon.

These are the locations of the workshops:

 Aug. 5 - New Orleans area Jefferson Parish Library 4747 W. Napoleon Ave. Metairie

• Aug 12 - Tangipahoa Parish

Hammond Police Training Center Conrad Anderson Street (behind the Tangipahoa Airport) Hammond

• Aug. 17 - Alexandria Area

Park Community Center 2450 La. 28 E. Pineville

To register, go to

http://www.deq.louisiana.gov/portal/PROGRAMS/CommunityIndustryRelations/ENVIROSCHOOLRegistration.as px. For more information, call Linda Hardy at 225-219-3954 or email Linda.hardy@la.gov.